RES4MED has been a long-lasting partner of Tunisia on the energy transition path pushing for dialogue facilitation and enhancement of investments in Tunisian renewable energy sector. On that account, RES4MED organised a prestigious three-day workshop – TUNISIA EXECUTIVE SEMINAR, in collaboration with local partners, ANME and STEG, held on 3-5 May in Tunis. The workshop aimed at providing participants with a set of technical, regulatory and financial tools to assess the most appropriate solutions for an efficient and effective deployment of renewables and their integration in the electricity system. The Executive Seminar saw an admirable outreach among the locals, as almost 100 engineers and middle managers participated during the three days.
Furthermore, the event was attended by high-level representatives as well. Minister of Energy, Hela Cheikhrouhou, highlighted her wish to develop the private sector and local industries in Tunisia. She pointed out the employment issue of the country and the importance of job creation through renewable energy project.

The lectures on the main technical, regulatory and financial aspects of renewable energy market were given by highly qualified experts from the sector. On this account, Antonio Cammisecra, CEO of the largest renewable energy company in the world – Enel Green Power, affirmed the great potential role that renewables could play in the future energy matrix of Tunisia. He confirmed EGP is ready to collaborate in the structuring of a transparent and efficient market for sustainable and long-term development of renewables.

The conference was commenced by welcoming words from Moncef Harrabi, CEO of STEG. In the framework of the MoU with Res4med, Moncef Harrabi proposed to explore partnership opportunities with Res4med Members in the coming renewable programs of Steg. The remaining part of the first day was focused on Business models and regulatory framework, the theme of the second day was Status of art of renewables and job creation while the attention of the third and the last day of the seminar was drawn to Integration of renewable energy in electricity grids.